

DEPUTIES' MEETING

Tuesday, 7 July 1958

PRESENT: Messrs. Dulles, Amory, Kirkpatrick, Colonel White, Messrs. Helms [redacted]

Mr. Dulles:

a. Noted a letter from Senator Wiley requesting CIA comments on a proposed bill to establish a Commission on Telecommunications and asked DD/I to prepare a reply for his (DCI) signature, coordinating with AD/CO and AD/SI.

b. Noted a cable from the Senior Representative [redacted] and stated we should "go ahead" with [redacted] suggested therein.

c. [redacted] Referred to a cable from the Senior Representative, [redacted] and noted his intention to briefly discuss the possibility of a ChiCom attack on Tachen at the NSC Meeting on 9 July. In this connection, Mr. Helms undertook to prepare briefing notes for the Director's use. (NOTE: The Director prepared a reply to the above cable, taking into consideration [redacted] views of CIA's position on Tachen as contained in [redacted])

d. Referred to the Jackson Committee Report and asked Mr. Helms to make a thorough examination of this report, furnishing him with his comments on those recommendations pertaining to CIA.

e. Noted a cable from Mr. Wisner [redacted] and stated he intended to discuss this message at the PSB Luncheon tomorrow, and also to discuss it with Mr. Wisner upon his return. Mr. Helms stated he had already called a meeting to go over the points and recommendations contained in this cable and undertook to furnish the Director the results.

Colonel White:

Referred to a letter from George Morgan pertaining to CIA expenditures in the PW field and asked the Director if he had had an opportunity to discuss this matter at the last PSB Luncheon. The DCI said he had not, but would do so tomorrow.

Mr. Helms:

a. Noted that [redacted] was briefing Ambassador Hilldreth and asked if the Director wished to see him. The Director indicated that he did, and Mr. Helms undertook to arrange an appointment.

b. Raised the question of the Director holding a dinner for [redacted] [redacted] The Director indicated that he did wish to do this and asked [redacted] to reserve a small private dining room at the Metropolitan Club for Monday, 13 July. (NOTE: This was later changed to the F Street Club.)